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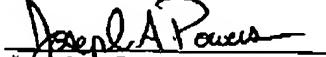
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**I. Introductory Comments**

The following remarks are responsive to the Final Official Action dated July 13, 2006.

Amendments to the claims begin on Page 2 of this Paper.

Remarks are presented on Page 7 of this Paper.